STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

VEHICLE INDUSTRY NEWS

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Subject: Body Type Model Errors

New Information

Ford Motor Company is manufacturing new 2001 Ford Explorer Sport Trac vehicles that reflect a body type model of "UT" (utility). These vehicles are actually 4-door pick-up trucks and the body type model should be shown as "PK."

Procedures

When submitting applications for 2001 Ford Explorer Sport Trac vehicles:

- write body type model "PK" (pickup) in the appropriate field on the application, and
- mark the application "commercial license plates", and
- collect the appropriate weight fee due.

Distribution

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Contact

- Your local DMV field office regarding questions on processing transactions.
- The DMV Customer Communications Section at (916) 657-6560 for further clarification of this memo. Upon request, this document can be produced in Braille or large print.

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